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## BOOMING

Are Our Mines and Wide-a-wake  
Are the Miners.

### NEWSY MINING PERSONALS.

The prediction of the Press that Marion would become one of the great producers and shippers of zinc ores is being realized. From one property alone a few miles west of the city, nearly a car load per day is being shipped to the smelters. The amount mined on this one property is very much in excess of the shipments, and if the mining should be pushed, half a dozen cars per day could be delivered to the railroad. This zinc ore is one of the highest grade carbonates that nature produces. Its equal as to productiveness and value does not exist outside of the famous Franklin mine in New Jersey. Messrs Blue & Nunn, who own this property, have christened it the "Old Jim" mine. It has been largely due to these gentlemen that the mineral resources of Crittenden county have been developed. For many years, through all sorts of discouragements, they have kept steadily at it. Believing fully in their judgment as to the value of the mineral here they have always shown their faith by their works. When Martin Conyer, with the first load of zinc ore reached the railroad depot there followed in his train ten or fifteen more wagons loaded to the limit with zinc. This was a month or more ago and every day since the roads have been lined with loaded wagons conveying zinc from the "Old Jim" mine to the railway freight cars. The Press wishes to be put on record as stating that John Blue and Clem Nunn not only deserve but are entitled to all the good fortune that has so far attended their efforts. Modern machinery for raising the ore in cars, steel rails for conveying to the loading platforms, engine, pumps, piping, and hose are being put in position, and the output can be made almost anything the owners desire, as the vein ranges from 10 to 40 feet wide. Half a dozen teams and scrapers were at work yesterday scraping the soil from the top of the vein, scarcely four feet underneath.

### A CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP.

For several years the ownership of what is known as "The Fluor Spar Company" has been divided between Marion and St. Louis parties. While there was never any absolute friction, it was thought the better way for the Marion interests to hold the entire control. On the 15th of June the purchase was made of Mr. Squiers' stock, and "The Fluor Spar Company" is now a strictly Marion institution. The lack of spar in the Kentucky Mining Company's properties will be more than compensated for in the finely developed property known as the John Hodge mine, which belongs to the Fluor Spar Company. The largely increased demand, at enhanced values for fluor spar, will no doubt prompt the company to install machinery for an increased production.

ation, considering the amount of fluor spar raised, was excessive. The shaft will shortly be freed from water and work resumed.

### A NEW RAILROAD.

A corps of surveyors, under orders from the Illinois Central R. R., reached here some days ago and at once commenced the preliminary survey between Marion and Eldorado, the terminus of the Central's St. Louis line. By taking a straight edge and laying it on the map between St. Louis and Nashville, one will easily see the reason for this survey. A most direct route is obtained, almost an air line, and as Marion happens to be on the straight edge, Marion is as usual lucky.

### CRITTENDEN SPRINGS HOTEL.

A drive down to this charmingly situated house in the cool of the evening, an enjoyable supper, the return home by moonlight, is most enjoyable.

### ZINC ON THE HEDGE.

On the John Hodge mining property is a shaft outside of the fluor spar vein that shows very handsomely in zinc blende and carbonate of zinc. It certainly is worthy of more development.

### REMOVALS AND THINGS.

Mr. John Clark and Mr. James Vaughn, it is rumored, have uncovered carbonate about two miles north of the city.

The mining excitement has struck all classes of our people; its hard work to find either a newspaper editor, a tailor, or a lawyer in their respective places of business. All mining.

A good sized mining deal, we hear, is about perfected, which will give employment to a great many men.

Marion has four mails daily, two from the North and two from the South. The northern arriving at 11:50 a. m. and 7:22 p. m., and the southern at 7:00 a. m. and 2:55 p. m.

Station agent Jameson has two cherry trees in his yard that panned out better than most of the Texas oil wells; 100 gallons of cherries from a couple of trees is not so bad, when there's another hundred still to pick.

What is Marion going to do for self on the Fourth of July? How would a great big hotel dinner at Crittenden Springs do? Speeches and fireworks in the evening. A great many of us would like to hear Ollie James on the fourth, a real old fashioned, stirring speech from Mr. James on a genuine stump. Why not?

If the commonwealth's attorney would only learn to play cinch, what an enjoyable partner he would make.

Several engagements are reported as a result of the Crittenden Springs Hotel ball; the most of them, however, were made for the next hop at the same place.

There were over six feet of Snow at Crittenden Springs Sunday. Mr. N. H. Snow, of Mineral Point, Wisconsin.

Landlord Ward, of the Crittenden Springs hotel, certainly knows how to run a house. His friends and patrons are increasing rapidly. Fine music for dancing is provided every evening except Sunday.

### A Poor Millionaire.

Lately starved in London because he could not digest his food. Early use of Dr. King's New Life Pills would have saved him. They strengthen the stomach, aid digestion, promote assimilation, improve appetite. Price 25c. Money back if not satisfied. Sold at Orme's drug store.

## STATE NEWS.

A Week's Happenings Over the  
State Briefly Chronicled.

Gov. Beckham has appointed Chas. W. Emory Judge of the McCracken county court.

Mayfield has just had a two hundred thousand dollar fire. The losses were mostly in the tobacco district.

Miss Adelia Barnard, of Beaver Dam, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. She made two previous attempts but was frustrated.

W. D. Shutt, clerk of the McLean county court, died at 2 o'clock Friday at his home in Calhoun, after an illness of some eight teen months.

Judge A. M. J. Cochran, of Maysville, was installed as Judge of the newly established United States court of Eastern Kentucky at Covington Monday.

It is stated that the governor will be asked to remove all the officials of the Western Asylum, who have been indicted at Hopkinsville for gambling.

John Lyson, aged 14, and Howard White, aged 12, while swimming in Green river below Owensboro Friday night were drowned. Their bodies have not yet been recovered.

The case of Dr. W. E. Clark, charged with the murder of Cora Waller, which was reversed by the Court of Appeals and sent back for a new trial, will be tried at Henderson in July.

Judge E. C. Orser, of the Court of Appeals, has been sued by his former law partner T. J. Bigstaff, for \$11,000, for balance alleged to be due on settlement of their partnership accounts. The suit is quite sensational because of the prominence of the parties.

Aunt Levina Clay died in Ashland June 30th. It is known that she was 111 years old, and many think she was older. She claimed to have been the slave of immediate relatives of the illustrious Henry Clay. Her memory of dates and events in the history of Kentucky was excellent.

Former Governor W. O. Bradley, who was solicited to take the presidency of the American Trust and Investment Company, a corporation which certain capitalists had agreed to organize if he would accept the place, has formally declined the offer. The governor says he prefers to practice law.

Considerable excitement exists at Dawson Springs over oil. Small quantities of oil have been found, and the Dawson Springs Oil and Gas Company is a corporation just formed to prospect for oil and gas on an extensive scale. The company has obtained leases on several thousand acres of land around Dawson, and expects to find a big oil field.

The Kentucky Good Roads Association convened in Louisville Friday and Saturday and effected a permanent organization. Ion B. Nall, of Louisville, State Commissioner of agriculture, was elected president. A constitution and by laws were adopted, and the work of the national association indorsed in the warmest terms. The resolutions declare that this work shall be vigorously followed in Kentucky and the mountain section of the State was cited as a good object lesson. Lexington was selected as the next place for holding the state convention, the date to be hereafter fixed. The convention then adjourned.

## HOT WEATHER BARGAINS!

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Advantage of the Following . . . .  
PRICES:

Millinery.	Jewelry.	Shoes.
As it is getting late in the season we are selling Millinery Goods regardless of cost; come and see and be convinced.	We have a nice line of Jewelry that we give a written guarantee to give satisfaction or will exchange at any time within 5 years after purchase. Come in and take a look at something nice.	We have them from Mens heavy to ladies lightest: Mens shoes \$1.25 up. Ladies shoes 1.00 up.
Laces and Embroidery.	Shirts.	Clothing.
A large stock of these goods which we are selling very low.	A nice line of white and colored Colored Shirts 25c up. White Shirts, 50c up.	Mens Pants, 50c up. Boys Pants, 25c up. Boys Suits, 75c up.
Silk Parasols.	Suspenders.	Hats.
The very latest things in white and colored, \$1.00 up.	Mens, 15c up. Boys, .05c up.	Mens Hats, 50c up. Boys Hats, 25c up.
Belts.	Ladies and Misses Underwear.	Hosiery.
Mens 50c. Ladies 25c up.	Vests, 10c up. Pants, 25c up.	Mens 5c a pair up. Ladies 10c a pair up.
Mens and Boys Ties, Bows, Etc.	Boys and Mens Underwear.	
Ties, 2 for 5c up. Bows, 25c up.	Shirts, 25c up. Drawers, 25c up.	

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H. Schwab's and Pierce & Son's Hardware.  
Come and see the Cheapest House in Town  
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We mean all that rich, dark color your hair used to have. If it's gray now, no matter; for Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color to gray hair. Sometimes it makes the hair grow very heavy and long; and it stops falling out of the hair, too.  
\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

### How It Is Done.

The first object in life of the American people is to "get rich"; the second how to regain good health. The first can be obtained by energy, honesty, and saving; the second (good health) by using Green's August Flower. Should you be a despondent sufferer from any of the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Appendicitis, Indigestion, etc., such as Sick Headache, Palpitation of the Heart, Sour Stomach, Habitual Constiveness, Dizziness of the Head, Nervous Prostration, Lw Spirits, etc., you need not suffer another day. Two doses of the well known August Flower will relieve you at once. Go to Jas. H. Orme or Robt. F. Haynes and get a sample bottle free. Regular size 75 cents. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

Window shades, all sizes and colors, at Boston & Walker's.

### A Gentle Hint.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature, rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day, it is no wonder that our children, relatives and friends are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds; half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Sever Coughs, Croup, or any disease of Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Get a sample bottle free from Jas. H. Orme or Robert F. Haynes. Regular size 75 cents. Get Green's Prize Almanac.



### Wonderful Eight.

Cures cholera, diarrhea, Colic, cramps, lameness, sprains, lumbago, swellings, neuralgia, rheumatism and toothache. All pain, internal or external, cured quickly with Morley's Wonderful Eight. For sale at H. Orme's.

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Effective March 10th, 1901, the



Announces the Opening of its  
Red River Division

Denison and Sherman,  
Texas.

"Through Train Service will short" established from St. Louis and Kansas City over the

Shortest Line to Texas